

# SOCIETY

## GEORGETOWN.

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Mrs. Frederick Barbour, Miss Smith, the Misses Waters, Dr. Richard Cooke, and Mr. John Patterson, of Baltimore.

Rev. Mr. Charles P. Staley and Mrs. Staley, who have been residing in Georgetown for several years, have gone to Oklahoma City, Okla., where they will make their home in the future.

Miss Mary M. Ferry, who has been visiting in New York and Philadelphia the past two weeks, has returned to Washington. Miss Ferry will not open her Georgetown home for several weeks.

The order of dances at the Dumbarton Club has been changed. Instead of being held weekly, they will be held twice a month. Those in April will be Tuesday, the 13th and 20th, and in May the 11th and 18th.

Mrs. Stuart, wife of Capt. Daniel D. V. Stuart, U. S. N., who has been stationed at the Norfolk Navy Yard for some time, will come to Washington shortly to make her home. Mrs. Stuart is very well known in Georgetown society.

Miss Chickering was the guest last week for a few days of Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Bradley. She is now staying with friends in Washington and will leave for her home in Oil City, Pa., the early part of the week.

Miss Mary Harvey, who has been spending the past month in Chester, Md., as the guest of Miss Isabel Beck, and later of Mr. and Mrs. J. Arthur Bradley, returned to her home in P Street last Thursday afternoon.

Miss Edith Frazier returned to Washington the latter part of the week from a short visit to Baltimore and is the guest of Miss Frances Blake. Miss Frazier will leave the early part of the week for her home in Yonkersville, Ohio.

Invitations have been received in Georgetown for the marriage of Miss Nellie Whitely, of Catonsville, Md., and Mr. Leonidas Doty, of New York. The ceremony will take place in Catonsville on Wednesday evening, April 28.

The senior class of Holy Cross Academy gave a delightful surprise party last Tuesday evening in honor of Miss Geline McDonald, who is president of the class. The affair took place at the home of Miss Emory and was given to celebrate the anniversary of Miss McDonald's birthday. The rooms were artistically arranged with masses of pink carnations and ferns, and in the dining room, where supper was served at a late hour, the same color scheme was used.

A large birthday cake with pink candles formed the centerpiece of the table, and each guest had a delicate place favor appropriate to the occasion. Miss McDonald received a number of unusually pretty and attractive gifts. Among the guests were Miss Lillian Hill, Miss Katherine Shaffer, Miss Louise Hoover, Miss Harriet Emery, Miss Susanne Yerby, Miss Gertrude Elchorn, Miss Geline McDonald, Mr. Archibald Crotty, Mr. Ernest Johnson, Mr. James Ivers, Mr. James Fitzgibbons, Mr. Peter Nicotri, Mr. John C. Moran, and Mr. John Daly.

## ALEXANDRIA.

Mrs. William Smith is visiting relatives in Western Maryland.

Miss Edith Beathley is spending a fortnight at Sandy Spring, Md.

Miss Emma Thon is spending the Easter holiday at Sandy Spring, Md.

Miss Kate Usher has gone to Atlantic City for a week or ten days.

Miss Catherine Hutton is spending the Easter holiday at Brookville, Md.

Mrs. J. William May is spending a month with friends in Kansas City.

Miss Helen Cummings is spending a week with friends in Philadelphia.

Miss Emily Johnson has issued invitations to a dance on Wednesday next.

Miss Ida Virginia Grigg is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Seay, in Lynndburg.

Dr. Angus Crawford is spending the week end at the University of Virginia.

Miss Sallie H. West, of Norfolk, is the guest of her cousin, Miss Elizabeth Janney.

Mrs. Anthony Armstrong has gone to New York to spend two weeks visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. William B. Smoot went to Atlantic City on Wednesday to spend ten days.

Mrs. A. D. Brockert has returned from a visit to relatives at Woodland, near Danville.

Miss Bessie Robinson has returned to Washington after a visit to Miss Hattie B. Douglas.

A surprise party was given Miss Rachel Smith on Friday evening by her friends at her home.

Hon. and Mrs. Charles C. Carlin were the week-end guests of friends at Fairfax Court House.

Miss Elizabeth Brown left on Wednesday for Annapolis, where she will spend a week.

Mrs. Percy Evans, of Warrenton, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Sidney Douglas.

Miss Jean Brent has returned from a visit of several days to the Misses Hoge, in Washington.

Mrs. William N. Wise has returned to her home in Leesburg after a visit to relatives in this city.

Miss Bessie Herbert is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Warren Buckner, in Cathedral street, Baltimore.

Ensign Frank Pryor, U. S. N., is the guest of his aunt, Mrs. Mary Smyth, in South St. Asaph street.

Miss Carrie Webb, of Baltimore, was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. William B. Smoot, during the week.

Mrs. James Sidney Douglas left on Wednesday for Mansfield, La., where she is visiting Miss Helen Gibbs.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrie Anley, of Washington, were the guests of friends in this city during the last week.

Miss Belle Downing, of Fredericksburg, arrived on Tuesday, and will spend several months visiting friends.

Mrs. Eugene Ives, of Los Angeles, Cal., was the guest during the week of his cousin, Mrs. T. Marshall Jones.

Mrs. Emma J. Spencer has returned after a delightful visit to friends in Fairfax and Prince William counties.

Mrs. William McArthur Green and Miss Charlotte Apple have gone to St. Louis to spend a month visiting friends.

Miss Mary Dent has returned from the Eastern Shore of Maryland, where she visited friends the last two weeks.

Mrs. Herbert W. Anderson is the guest of her niece, Mrs. Richard Turner Arrington, in West Grace street, Richmond.

Mrs. George A. Mushbach left on Monday for Pittsburgh to spend several weeks with her brother Mr. Ralph Gwynn.

Miss Julia Cone, who has been visiting Miss Eliza Douglas, in Cameron street, has returned to her home in Richmond.

Mrs. Preston Gibson has returned to her home in Leesburg after a visit. Mrs. J. Sidney Douglas, in Cameron street.

Mrs. Albert Smoot has returned from Suffolk, where she spent several weeks visiting her sister, Mrs. Howard Corbett.

Miss Bertha Peake was hostess at a card party on Saturday evening. The prizes were won by Miss Flora Rocker and Mr. Charles T. Walker, of Boston.

veterans: P. M. Edmonds, Jas. E. Stone, George W. Head, C. B. Jacobs, H. L. Gummel, George W. Vetch.

After a piano solo by Mrs. Erwin, the evening was brought to a close.

## HYATTSVILLE.

Mrs. Nellie Fuller Brooks has returned after a pleasant stay with friends in Annapolis.

Miss Katherine Bilbop, of Leeland, is visiting Miss Marguerite Clagett, near Upper Marlboro.

Mrs. G. R. Maynard will visit her cousin, Miss Du Bois, in Baltimore, during the coming week.

Mr. and Mrs. James J. Gallinger, of Illinois, have been visiting friends and relatives in this vicinity.

The Roseborough Club, of the Maryland Agricultural College, will give its usual Easter hop Friday, April 23.

Mr. Harry W. Dorsey will entertain the members of the Hyattsville Stag Bridge Whist Club Thursday evening.

Mr. Frank Phillips and Miss Mary Phipps, of Halle Station, have been visiting Mrs. William R. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Nicholson, of Dittman Grove, N. J., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Leo Schlosser, Franklin avenue.

Miss Jennie Collier, of West River, Anne Arundel County, has been the guest of Miss Margaret Smith during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. T. Graham, of Chestertown, Md., are spending the Easter holidays with Mrs. Annie Lewin Burnside.

Dr. and Mrs. Charles A. Wells will return to Hyattsville next week, after spending the winter months in Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bowers have returned to their home in Harleburg, Pa., after a visit with Mrs. L. T. Bowers, Maryland.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Duvall have issued invitations for a dance on Easter Monday night at their home, "Mount Airy," near Rosaryville.

Dr. Guy W. Latimer, of Oaklawn, left yesterday for Maryland, Calvert County, to visit his uncle, Mr. John Sedwick. He will be gone about a week.

Mrs. G. French Owens and son French have returned home after visiting for several weeks the home of the former's sister, Mrs. Frank Owens, of Charles County, and her father, Judge George W. Gardner, of St. Mary County.

Miss Nellie Lyon, Maryland avenue, has had as her guests during the week the Misses Coughlin, Hazen, of Washington. Tuesday evening Miss Lyon entertained at a marshalltown party these ladies and Messrs. Dryden, Coster, and Tausky, of the Maryland Agricultural College and Mr. Charles Holmes.

## ROCKVILLE.

Miss Emma Trainor, of Washington, was a recent guest of Mrs. Sarah E. Canada, at Glen Echo.

Dr. and Mrs. George L. Edmonds and children are spending a few days with relatives in Washington.

Rev. D. R. Houghton, of Des Moines, Iowa, has been visiting his sister, Mrs. O. J. Field, at Kensington.

Mr. Samuel L. Phillips has reopened his home near Rockville, after spending the winter months in Washington.

Miss Katherine Crowley, of Washington, visited her sister, Mrs. L. A. Garrett, at Glen Echo, during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter C. Carroll, of Washington, are guests of Mrs. Carroll's sister, Mrs. Ellen H. Garrett, at Glen Echo.

Mrs. J. Edward Libbey, Jr., of Washington, spent several days at Glen Echo during the week, visiting relatives and friends.

Miss Margaret Lyddane, of the vicinity of Germantown, has returned from Washington, where she had been visiting friends.

Miss Virginia Griffith returned to her home at Darnestown a few days ago after spending the winter months in Washington.

Mr. Charles W. Winslow will return within the next few days to his home at Glen Echo, after spending the winter at Palm Beach, Fla.

After spending ten days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Welsh, Miss Mary Welsh resumed her studies at Swarthmore College.

Miss Lillian Morgan, a student at the State Normal School, is spending the Easter holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William E. Morgan.

Mrs. William Nelson and Mrs. Millard Price returned a few days ago to their homes in the Darnestown district after visiting their brother, Dr. Kelley, in Baltimore.

Mr. H. H. Rand and family, former residents of Laurel, have taken up their residence in Kensington, where they recently purchased a fine residence from Dr. Warren Price.

It has been announced that Mr. John Bentley Lea, a former resident of Sandy Spring, this county, and Miss Theodora Seligson, of Syracuse, N. Y., will be married in Syracuse April 21.

The Georgetown Orchestra will give a band concert and dance in the town hall at Glen Echo, Monday evening. The committee arrangements is composed of Messrs. William Pearl, Edwin Higgins, and S. W. Smoot.

Miss Pearl Myers and Mr. Sydney Myers, a young Virginia couple, visited Rockville Wednesday afternoon and were married by Rev. S. R. White, of the Baptist Church, the ceremony taking place at the home of the minister.

Dr. Benjamin F. Lansdale, a leading physician of this county, is reported to be critically ill at his home at Damascus.

Dr. Lansdale represented this county in the house of delegates several terms ago.

Miss Aurelia Lodge, daughter of Prof. Lee Davis Lodge, president of Limestone College, at Gaffney, S. C., who has been visiting her grandparents and other relatives in the latter part of July, will be in charge of the Rockville Masonic Fair Association, which has been organized with the following officers: President, Dr. George L. Edmonds; vice president, Dr. George E. Lewis; secretary and treasurer, Robert G. Hilton. The proceeds will go to swell the fund that is being raised for the erection of a Masonic school at Rockville.

## FALLS CHURCH.

Odd Fellows' Hall, here, was prettily decorated Friday night with red and white bunting, a Confederate flag, cut and potted flowers, in honor of a meeting held there under the auspices of the R. E. Lee Chapter, Daughters of the Confederacy, of Falls Church. A delightful programme consisting of piano solos, "Old Folks at Home," and another, "Old Black Joe," which Mrs. M. M. Erwin rendered in a manner that received much applause, as did the vocal duet by Mrs. Scott Ryer, and Miss Emma Seaman, accompanied on the piano by Mr. George Herndon. The solo by Miss Seaman came in for deserved praise by the large audience.

After the musical programme, R. L. C. Moncre, in his happy manner, introduced Col. R. E. Lee, Jr., who spoke on "The Mother of Presidents," and her true history in regard to slavery and the part she took in giving her time and money to the civil war. His address was full of historic facts and interspersed with humorous war incidents. Hearty applause was given him at the close.

After the address the names of the old Confederate veterans whose war records are without a blemish were called and the crosses of honor obtained by the members of R. E. Lee Chapter, in Falls Church, from the headquarters of the Confederate Camp in Richmond, Va., manufactured from cannon captured during the war, were bestowed upon these

Reception to Rev. Mr. Miller. Special to The Washington Herald. Annapolis, Md., April 10.—Rev. George W. Miller, the retiring pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal Church, this city, and Mrs. Miller, last night gave a farewell reception in the church parsonage, on College avenue. Practically all of the congregation, and many other friends called at the home to bid the pastor and his wife good-bye. As a token of esteem held for them, the congregation of the church presented Dr. and Mrs. Miller with a handsome clock. Because of his health, Dr. Miller has retired from active ministry.

Two Reasons. From Illustration. "You mustn't play with Mr. Borum's hat, Bobby," said a young lady who was entertaining a caller, to her small brother.

"Why mustn't I?" asked the youngster.

"Because you mustn't damage it," replied his sister, "and, besides, he will want it shortly."

## CHARMING CONTRALTO.



MISS FRANCES G. BETHUNE, who will be heard in song recital.

Mrs. Oldberg will present Miss Frances Gunby Bethune, contralto, in song recital at the Washington Club, Thursday evening, April 15. She will be assisted by Miss Roberta Ames, pianist, and Miss Marguerite O'Toole, harpist. The programme will include the following numbers: In English, "When the Roses Bloom" (Reichardt); "The First Spring" (Grieg); "Dear Eyes," lullaby (Stearns); Miss Bethune, in German, "Herbststrum" (Grieg); "Der Tod und das Mädchen" (Schubert); Miss Bethune, in French, "L'Annee d'Argent" (Chaminade); "Si Mieux Vaient Des Amies" (Hillemant); Miss Bethune, with harp accompaniment, in Italian, "La Sereana" (Tosti); "Maria" (Da Capua). In English, "Call of the Birch Canoe" (Crist); "Shadows" (Jacobson); Miss Bethune, Mrs. Oldberg, Miss Ames, and Miss O'Toole will act as accompanists. Whatever Mrs. Oldberg manages is sure to be a success. She was the pioneer woman "manager" in Washington, and was the one first to present Mr. Macdowell, Mr. Nevin, and several other leading musicians to the local public.

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## MUSIC AND MUSICIANS.

Miss Katharine Goodson, a young English pianist, whose recital at the Masonic Auditorium next Saturday evening will bring the Charleston-Smith concert to a brilliant close, has created a furore during the present season, and has been everywhere acclaimed by critics as one of the great woman pianists of the present century. She has just returned from a remarkably successful tour of the world, during which her appearance aroused the greatest enthusiasm. In the United States she has met with no less success than she formerly achieved in Europe, where she enjoyed a great vogue.

She has appeared as soloist with some of the greatest orchestras of the country, and her recitals have been equally successful. She plays with exquisite feeling and finish, and a degree of power rare even in masculine virtuosity. As a favorite pupil of Leschetizky, teacher of many of the greatest pianists, she enjoyed unusual distinction in Europe. In private life Miss Goodson is the wife of Arthur Hinton, the English composer.

The assisting artist at the recital will be Miss Flavie van de Hende, the brilliant young Belgian violinist, whose mastery of her difficult instrument has been much praised. She is a sterling artist, whose appearances have invariably occasioned much favorable comment.

Miss Goodson's programme will be, L.—(a) Pastorale, E. minor, Scarlatti; (b) Minuet, E. flat, Beethoven; (c) "Song without Words," in F. Mendelssohn; (d) Minuet, E. minor, Schubert; Sonata, C sharp, minor, op. "Moonlight," Beethoven (the request).

II.—Two preludes, C major, B. minor; Nocturne; waltzes, A. flat, op. 34, op. 64, Chopin; Scherzo.

III.—Romance, E. flat; Humoresque, Tchaikovsky; Andes, Gershwin; Etude, R. aff; Capriccio, Hindio; Polonaise, Macdowell.

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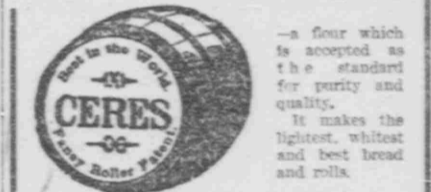
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